

Remarks and Arguments

1. This amendment is in response to the Examiner's Office Action of
5 December 28, 2007.

2. Examiner stated that "[t]he problem of 'battery life' is not claimed in the
claims." Applicant has submitted 13 new claims, Claims 53-65, for
10 examination. These claims are fully supported by the original specification,
and distinguish patentably from the prior art, including the Bishop and Coffee
patents, or a combination of Bishop and Coffee. These Claims claim a self-
powered receiver installed on non-power-operated products. These structural
features of the receivers and products are supported by paragraphs 44 and
92 of the specification. In paragraph 44, the specification states "[t]hese other
15 types of products may include products that have traditionally been used in a
non-tethered fashion, i.e., they do not require a wired connection for
power...." Furthermore, in paragraph 92, the specification states "[b]ecause
many products that may be the subject of a recall signal do not traditionally
require any electrical power or signaling, a receiving means may need to
20 operate in a low-power mode in order to conserve power."

3. Applicant still believes the Bishop patent does not enable the teaching that
Examiner relies upon for rejection of the newly cancelled claims. However,
Applicant has chosen to pursue an embodiment covered by a set of claims in
25 the present application relating to the battery life problem by claiming a self-
powered receiver and a non-power-operated product. Applicant is not
conceding the Examiner's position regarding the applicability of the Bishop
patent, and shall pursue such patentable subject matter in a continuation
application.

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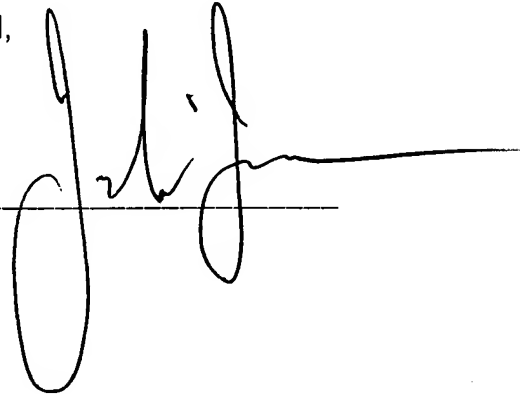
4. For the foregoing reasons, it is urged that this application is in condition for allowance. If the Examiner has any questions, he is requested that he contact Jack J'maev at 909-437-8390. Applicant thanks the Examiner again for his careful attention to this application.

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Respectfully submitted,

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